

**DIVISION OF OIL,
GAS AND MINING
DEPARTMENT OF
NATURAL RESOURCES IN
AND FOR THE STATE
OF UTAH**

**IN THE MATTER OF
TENTATIVE APPROVAL
OF THE MINING AND RE-
CLAMATION PLAN PER-
MIT APPLICATION SUB-
MITTED BY KELMINE
CORPORATION, SAN JUAN
COUNTY, UTAH**

**NOTICE OF
TENTATIVE APPROVAL
No. ACT/037/032**

**THE STATE OF UTAH TO
ALL OPERATORS, TAKERS
OF PRODUCTION,
MINERAL AND ROYALTY
OWNERS, AND PAR-
TICULARLY ALL PERSONS
INTERESTED IN SECTIONS
25, 26 and 36, TOWNSHIP
30 SOUTH, RANGE 25
EAST, SLBM, SAN JUAN
COUNTY, UTAH**

Notice is hereby given that tentative approval was given by the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining on July 7, 1986 to Kelmene Corporation to conduct surface mining operations in Section 25, 26 and 36, Township 30 South, Range 25 East, SLBM, San Juan County, Utah.

The name of the proposed mining operation is the Lisbon Valley Copper Mine and the person representing the company is Mr. Melvin R. Swanson, Chief Engineer, P.O. Box 1383, Moab, Utah 84532.

Kelmene Corporation has fulfilled obligations under the Utah Mined Land Reclamation Act of 1975 (Section 40-8, UCA 1953, as amended) with specific reference to Section 40-8-13 and will employ the following mining and reclamation techniques on approximately 65 acres of federally owned (BLM) land and 57 acres of State land.

During Operations:

(1) Proposed mining will disturb approximately 122 acres over the life of the mine.

(2) Ore will be taken from an abandoned open pit in Section 25 and disturb an additional 10 acres with pit expansion.

(3) A waste dump covering an area of approximately 53 acres will be located in Section 26 with a process area for heap leaching ore located in Section 36.

Following Operations:

(1) Of the 122 acres to be disturbed, all but ten acres (slopes of the pit) will be reclaimed.

(2) All buildings, mill and process equipment will be removed from the site.

(3) All concrete foundations and pads will be broken and buried.

(4) The site will be re-contoured, topsoiled and re-vegetated.

Any person or agency aggrieved by this tentative decision is hereby requested to submit written protest within thirty (30) days of the date of publication to the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining, Suite 350, 3 Triad Center, 355 West North Temple, Salt Lake City, Utah 84180-1203, setting forth factual reasons for his or her complaint, and thereafter, at a time and place to be established, appear before the Board of Oil, Gas and Mining to show cause, if any, why this mine plan should not be approved.

DATED this 9th day of July, 1986.

**STATE OF UTAH DIVISION
OF OIL, GAS AND MINING**

/s/ Marjorie L. Anderson
Administrative Assistant

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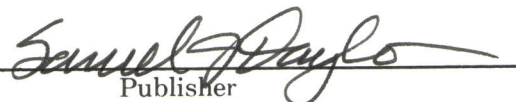
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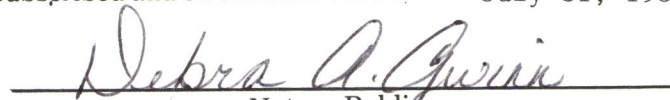
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